

*Dedicated to*  
**Miss Belle Cole.**  
*by whom it is sung.*

# Silence and the Sea

CONTRALTO SONG

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*Légerement.* *mestoso recitando.*

*mf* The great sea

*p* *p* *f*

rolls be - tween us,

*f* *p*

And si - lence wide and deep,..... But my soul..... un - to

*p* *f* *p*

thine, But my soul..... un-to thine Its faith - ful troth doth

keep,..... Its faith - ful troth doth keep.....

*dolce cantabile.*

My love is like, is like a

flow - er, That form,..... that form and col - or hid - eth, And

on - ly by its fra - - grance, on - - ly by its fra - grance, You

mark, you mark where it a - bid - - eth. The

night - wind sighs a - round me, And blends its un - der-

- tone;..... The night - wind sighs a - round me, And

*p*

blends its un - der - tone ..... With this my song I

*p*

*cres.*

sing, ..... I sing to thee a - lone! ..... It

*mf*

*f*

tells thee ..... I re - mem - ber, It whis - pers thoughts of

*f*

*pressez.*

thee; It ..... tells thee, tells thee I re - mem - ber, And .....

*p* *rall.* *f* *a tempo.*

whis - pers thoughts of thee; It tells thee I re-

*p* *ff*

- mem - ber, And whis - pers, and

*p*

*rall.*

whis - pers thoughts of thee, Al - tho' there roll be - tween us, Deep

*p* *a tempo.* *f*

si - lence, si - lence and the sea! Al -

*p* *ff*

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- though..... there roll be - tween us Deep si - lence,

*p*

*impetuoso.*

*f*

si - lence and the sea! Al - tho' there roll between us Deep

*pp* *ff*

*f* *p* *p*

si - lence, tho' be - tween us deep si - lence and the

*ff* *p* *p*

sea!.....

*p*